Building scheme for LTL, MOZ and OFF



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1. Periodic Building Unit:

LTL, MOZ and OFF can be built using the saw chain (bold in Fig.1) running parallel to *c*. The repeat distance along the saw chain is about 7.5 Å. The repeat unit in the chain consists of 3 T atoms. Six saw chains are connected into an one-dimensional Periodic Building Unit (PerBU) consisting of a column of cancrinite (*can*) cages that are connected through double 6-rings.



2. Connection mode:

Neighboring PerBUs can be connected into the *ab* plane in three different ways:

- (1): The PerBUs are related by a 2-fold axis parallel to *c*. 8-Rings are formed.
- (2): The PerBUs are related by a 3-fold axis parallel to *c*. 8-Rings and 12-rings are formed.
- (3): The PerBUs are related by a combination of modes (1) and (2).





Figure 2 [Cont'd]. (b): Connection mode (2) in **OFF** viewed along c (left) and parallel projection of the unit cell content along c (top right) and along b (bottom right).



Figure 2. (c1): Connection mode (3) in MOZ viewed along c (top) and parallel projection of the unit cell content along b (bottom). [Figure 2 is continued on next page]



Figure 2 [Cont'd]. (c2): Parallel projection of the unit cell content in **MOZ** along *c*.

3. Projections of the unit cell content: See Figure 2.

4. Channels and/or cages:

In OFF and LTL 12-ring channels, that are different in each framework type, are parallel to c. In MOZ two different 12-ring channels are parallel to c. They are topologically identical to the channels in OFF and in LTL. In OFF, *can* cages and *gmel* cavities interconnect the 12-ring channels. The 12-ring channels in LTL are interconnected through 8-ring channels parallel to c. This 8-ring channel is topologically equivalent to the 8-ring channel in DFT, LOV and RSN. The two different 12-ring channels in MOZ are interconnected differently: the OFF-type 12-ring channels are interconnected through *mer* cavities and the LTL-type 12-ring channels are interconnected using both the *mer* cavity and (topologically) the same 8-ring channel that interconnects the 12-ring channels in LTL. Finally, in all three structure types two-dimensional 8-ring channels, intersecting the 12-ring channels, are perpendicular to c and run along three symmetrically equivalent directions: a, b and [110], hereafter represented as along <100/_{hex}. Figure 3 on next page summarizes the channel intersections and cages are depicted in Figure 4 on next pages.





can cage in LTL, OFF and MOZ Pore descriptor: {0 [4⁶6⁵]}





gmel cavity in OFF; *8/8-ring intersection* Pore descriptor: {2 [4⁹6²8³] <100>_{hex} (8-ring)}



mer cavity in MOZ; 8/8-ring intersection Pore descriptor: $\{3 \ [4^{12}8^6] < 100 >_{hex} (8-ring), [001] (8-ring)\}$





8/8-ring intersection in LTL and MOZ Pore descriptor: {2 [4²6²8⁴] [100] (8-ring)}





8/12-ring intersection in OFF and MOZ Pore descriptor: {3 [4³6³8³12²] <100>_{hex} (8-ring), [001] (12-ring)}



8/12-ring intersection in LTL and MOZ Pore descriptor: {3 [4¹⁸8⁶12²] <100>_{hex} (8-ring), [001] (12-ring)}

Figure 3. *can* Cage and channel intersections in LTL, MOZ and OFF viewed along $<120>_{hex}$ (top) and along *c* (bottom).



Figure 4(a). Fusion of channel intersections in **OFF** viewed along $<120>_{hex}$ (left), along $<010>_{hex}$ (top right) and along *c* (bottom right). The *gmel* cavities are in bold.











5. Supplementary information:

Alternative description of OFF

A large number of framework types, like **OFF**, can be constructed using a hexagonal PerBU of nonconnected 6-rings. They all belong to the ABC-6 family.

In the **INTRO** pages links are given to descriptions of framework types belonging to the ABC-6 family (choose: **ABC-6 family**).

Other framework types containing saw chains

In several framework types at least one of the unit cell dimensions is about n*7.5 Å (where n = 1, 2, 3... etc.). In many cases this indicates the presence of saw chains.

In the **INTRO** pages links are given to descriptions of other framework types containing (twisted) saw chains (choose: **Saw chains**). There is also a link provided to a summary of the Periodic Building Units used in the building schemes of these framework types (choose: **Appendix**; **Figure 2**).

Other framework types containing (modified) cavities

Several framework types can be built using (modified) cavities.

In the **INTRO**-pages links are given to a detailed description of a sub-set of framework types that contain (modified) cavities (choose: **Cages**). There is also a link provided to a summary of the PerBUs used in the building schemes of these framework types (choose: **Appendix**; **Figure 11**).